



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant : DE VROOME  
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of July 26, 2005, please reconsider the above-identified application.